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In re application of: Bauer et al.

For: **EXTENDED LIFE ELECTROMECHANICAL LOCK**

Serial Number: 10/057,836

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The undersigned, Marconi Communications Inc., assignee of the entire interest in and to an application of Bauer et al. for U.S. Letters Patent for **EXTENDED LIFE ELECTROMECHANICAL LOCK**, Serial Number 10/057,836, filed January 24, 2002, hereby appoints the firm of Withrow & Terranova, P.L.L.C. comprising Benjamin S. Withrow, Reg. No. 40,876, Steven N. Terranova, Reg. No. 43,185 and Taylor M. Davenport, Reg. No. 42,466 as its attorneys and/or agents with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Furthermore, in accordance with 37 CFR §3.73(b), the undersigned hereby states that the documentary evidence of a chain of title from the original owner to the assignee, i.e. assignment document referenced above, has been reviewed and the undersigned certifies that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in assignee who seeks to prosecute this application.

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